INFORMATION BULLETIN

TO: WELFARE-TO-WORK COMMUNITY

SUBJECT: JTA SYSTEM VERSION 4.23 RELEASE

The purpose of this information bulletin is to inform you that the Workforce Investment Division (WID) will release the Job Training Automation (JTA) System Version 4.23 on the weekend of October 25, 2002. Unfortunately, the Workforce Investment Act Application, Exit and Follow-Up Data file Layout and updated WIA Client Forms are not included with this bulletin as discussed in the Management Information Systems (MIS) Quarterly Meeting. However, we will e-mail the file layouts and forms to the MIS Administrators no later than close of business Monday, October 28, 2002. The JTA system software will be available beginning Monday, October 28 2002. A detailed description of the software changes is attached.

Note To Timeshare JTA System Users—This release will be installed over the weekend. Please do not access your system from Friday, October 25, 2002, at 6 p.m. through Monday October 28, at 8 a.m.

Note To Standalone JTA System Users—The release files can be accessed from the Shasta County Private Industry Council's server site on Wednesday October 30, 2002. Release 4.22 must be installed prior to the installation of this release.

This release includes new programs as well as additions and enhancements that are a result of program requirements and calls made to the JTA Help Desk.

Should you have any questions regarding this JTA system release, please call the JTA Help Desk at (916) 653-0202.

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Attachment

**WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT (WIA) RELEASE NOTES
LOCAL WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD RELEASE 4.23**

WIA System

Programs Modified:

**Log # 5569   EAPR (Enter Training Program Approval)
                      ESEA (Enter WIA ETPL Subsequent Eligibility
                      Application Form)**

Add edit to status change to not allow two with the same date.

**Log # 5580   EWIE (Enter WIA Enrollment/Registration Form)
                      LWIA (Load WIA Activity)**

For actvy_serv_cd = '15', allow bgn_dt prior to enrlmt_dt.

**Log # 5582   EWIF (Enter WIA Follow-Up Form)
                      LWIF (Load WIA Follow Up)
                      PWIF (Print WIA Follow Up Form**)

Replace "Date Entered Postsecondary Education" with "Continuing in Postsecondary Education". It will be a required field and valid values will be 1 (yes) and 2 (no). Replace "Date Entered Advance Training" with "Continuing in Advanced Training". It will be a required field and valid values will be 1 (yes) and 2 (no). Change wording for "Entered Military Service" to "In Military Service". Change wording for "Entered Qualified Apprenticeship" to "In Qualified Apprenticeship". Change LWIF to allow the wia_agcy_cd to be blank.

**Log # 5579   EWIR (Enter WIA Application Form)
                      LWIR (Load WIA Application Form)
                      PWIR (Print WIA Application Form)**

Add Food Stamp Training Program field after the TANF field. It will be "Required for EWIR Complete" and valid values are 1 (yes) and 2 (no). Change Labor Force Status, weeks not employed last 26 weeks, and hourly wage to optional fields.

Log # 5581   **EWIT (Enter WIA Exit Form)**
                                   LWIT (Load WIA Exit Form)
                                   PWIT (Print WIA Exit Form)

Replace "Date Entered Postsecondary Education" with "Entered Postsecondary Education". It will be a required field and valid values are 1 (yes) and 2 (no). Replace "Date Entered Advanced Training " with "Entered Advanced Training ". It will be a required field and valid values are 1 (yes) and 2 (no). Modify program to require date employed on Exit Form if wia_exit_cd, wia_exit_cd2, or wia_exit_cd3 = "01". If Date Employed is entered, then change Employer Number, Employer Name, Employer Address, Employer Zip, Employer Contact, Contact Phone, and Job Code, Hours per Week and Hourly Wage to optional.

Log # 5557   **LWID (Load WIA Activity)**

Changed edit for stateside to only compare the first 2 characters of the ethnic code to the state look-up table.

Log # 5583   **LWID (Load WIA Activity Data)**
                                   XWID (Extract WIA Data)

Retrieve wia_app.food_stamp_pgm and format after the tanf field in the wia_ipd_app table. It will be required and valid values are 1 (yes) and 2 (no).
Replace dt_post_educ with ent_post_educ in the wia_exit and wia_ipd_app tables. It will be required and valid values will be 1(yes) and 2(no).
Replace dt_adv_trng with ent_adv_trng in the wia_exit and wia_ipd_app tables. It will be required and valid values will be 1(yes) and 2(no).
Replace dt_post_educ with cont_post_educ in the wia_folup and wia_ipd_folup tables. It will be required and valid values will be 1(yes) and 2(no). Replace dt_adv_trng with cont_adv_trng in the wia_folup and wia_ipd_folup tables. It will be required and valid values will be 1(yes) and 2(no).
Extract and load will now expect char(1) fields instead of dates for the above 4 fields.
Change wia_labor, wks_unemp_last_26, and hrly_wg from the wia_app table to optional fields.
For wia_actvy.actvy_serv_cd = "15", allow bgn_dt prior to enrlmt_dt.
If wia_exit_cd, wia_exit_cd2, or wia_exit_cd3 = "01" from the wia_exit table, then wia_exit.dt_empld is required.
If wia_exit.dt_empld is not null, then change wia_exit.plcmt_job_cd, wia_exit.hr_wk and wia_exit.hrly_wg from required to optional.

Log # 5587   PWIP (Print Local WIA Participant Report)

Do not recalculate report if one exists automatically. If reports have not run for the report begin and end period give prompt and force run for all agencies and grant codes for that period. Once reports exist for that period in the table, the individuals can be run or for conditionals. Only save revisions 00 and 01. If an individual report is requested and one already exists the system will prompt fpr recalculation or display. Allow begin date other than 07. Allow cross programs years. Add std headings. Allow quarterlies to be regenerated.

Log #5589   PWIS (Print WIA Status Roster)

Fixed the program to display more than one goal if they exist

Log # 5584, 5603   XLWPR (Extract and Calculate WIA Performance)

Modify program to exclude new exit code 18 from performance. (Like 10,12,13). Change all checks for wia_ipd_folup.dt_post_educ IS NOT NULL to wia_ipd_folup.cont_post_educ = "1". Change all checks for wia_ipd_app.dt_adv_trng IS NOT NULL to wia_ipd_app.ent_adv_trng = "1". Change all checks for wia_ipd_app.dt_post_educ IS NOT NULL to wia_ipd_app.ent_post_educ = "1".

Change all checks for wia_ipd_folup.dt_adv_trng IS NOT NULL to wia_ipd_folup.cont_adv_trng = "1". Fixed program from having duplicate errors by fixing order by clause for DEE, DRT and DET.

Log # 5615   XLWPR ((Extract and Calculate WIA Performance)

Fix YDE calculation to pick up all applications with hi_grade_cmplt < 12.

Log # 5556   PWIB (Print WIA Base Wage Data)

Change for state side to prevent viewing of base wage data by using the access level.

Log # 5612   XWID (Extract WIA Data)
**   EWIE (Enter WIA Enrollment/Registration Form)**
**   LWIA (LWIA (Load WIA Activity)**

Check all cases for the application when comparing activity type 3 or 4 against the MIN (bgn date) for activity type 2.

Scripts

A script will be run on the local side (lwib_partic_sumry) that will only retain rept_revsn_num "00" and max rept_revsn_num renamed to 01.

A script will be run for converting the dt_post_educ and dt_adv_trng from dates to char (1) in the wia_exit, wia_ipd_app, wial_folup, and wia_ipd_folup tables. IF date is not null the value will be set to 1 (yes)else it will be set to 2 (no)

A script will be run to add the new wia_exit_cd (18- Called back to Active Military Service) to the d_wia_exit_cd table and the new actvy_serv_cds (17 – Co enrolled Core Services, 42 – Co-enrolled Intensive Services, 61 – Co-enrolled Training Services, 76 – Co-enrolled Youth Services, 85 – Co-enrolled Misc. Services) to add to the d_actvy_serv_cd table.

Database Changes

Add food_stamp_pgm to wia_app and wia_ipd_app tables.
Add enter_post_educ and enter_adv_trng to wia_exit and wia_ipd_app tables.
Add cont_post_educ and cont_adv_trng to wia_folup and wia_ipd_folup tables.